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RE: *U.S. Patent Application Entitled "UV- or Heat-Triggered Low Oxygen Packaging System Employing an Oxidizable Polymer Resin and a Peroxide"*
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are:

- (1) 25-page patent specification with 35 claims and an abstract.; and
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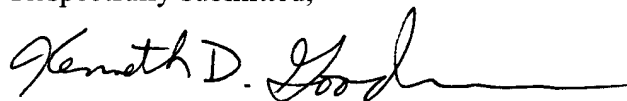
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Independent Claims	1 - 3 = 0	x \$40 = \$	or x \$80 = \$ 00.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)		+ \$135 = \$	or + \$270 = \$ 00.00
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